

M. S. Lander,

Boston July 9. 1846.

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Reverend Phelps

Dear Brother

Yours of 7th is at hand -

I agree with the committee that Albany should be the place & 1st week of September the time for the convention - I know of nothing now to prevent my being present on the occasion. I am sorry to hear from several that your health is so poor - you must make your arrangements by all means to spend the fall & winter in a warm climate do not put it off hoping to get better without - I have always looked upon you as predisposed to consumption & from the effect I have seen the winters here have upon you. I feel sure that you ought to flee them for the present - excuse my plain speaking but it is just as I think whether you do so or not -

In haste Yours in true affection
W. S. Luddes